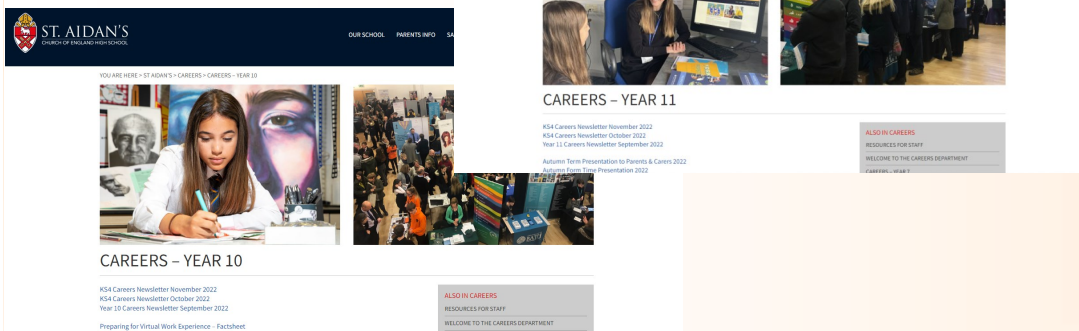


# KS4 Careers Department Notices

December 2022



**Reminder!** There is lots of useful information found in the [Careers section](#) of the St Aidan's School Website, including factsheets, presentation and resources for [Year 10](#) and [Year 11](#). Our [Work Experience](#) page is regularly updated with the latest [virtual work experience opportunities](#) that students can choose to engage in.

## Year 11

We have already started seeing Year 11 students for individual careers appointments and this will continue after the January mock exams. If anyone would like to be prioritised for a 1:1 careers appointment, please speak to your form tutor, alternatively pop up and see us in Careers (located upstairs in Bede House).

If students have questions or would like to discuss anything with the careers team, please feel free to pop up during break or lunchtime. We also run a KS4 drop in session every Tuesday lunchtime.

Mrs Farrar, our Work Experience Co-ordinator, offers a drop in session for support securing placements every Tuesday and Thursday lunchtime in the Careers Department.

**Below is a selection of opportunities offered by Universities, Colleges, Employers and Apprenticeship Providers.**

## Higher Education

- [Composition Competition](#), Royal Holloway University, **Deadline 6 January**  
Interested in Musical Theatre? Submit a 3-6 minute musical theatre scene for students to perform. Winners will be invited to attend a workshop with Musical Theatre experts from Royal Holloway, University of London. Click [here](#) for further details and how to enter the competition.
- [Medicine and Dentistry Lecture Series 2023](#), King's College London, **Deadline 16 December**

Considering applying for Medicine or Dentistry? Hear from a variety of speakers about how to prepare for medicine or dentistry applications. Lectures will be held on Tuesday evenings, 6-7.15pm. The first three lectures will be on 31 January, 7 February and 14 February, with the others taking place in Spring/Summer. Click [here](#) to apply and for more information.

## Post 16 Events

### Sixth Form Presentation to St Aidan's Year 11 students

**Thursday 19th January**

1.30pm

Constance Green Hall

### Sixth Form Information

### Evening for Parents/Carers

**Thursday 19th January**

5.30pm at St Aidan's School

Further details on Associated Sixth Form Events to follow.

### Harrogate College Open Event

**Wednesday 8th February**

4-7pm

### York College Open Event

**Tuesday 21st February**

5.30-8pm

### Leeds City College Open Day

**Saturday 14th January**

10-1pm

### Leeds College of Building Open Event

**Thursday 23rd February**

5-7pm

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## Employment and Apprenticeships

- **[NHS Christmas Careers Challenge](#), Health Education England**

Interested in careers within the NHS? Find out about diverse NHS job roles through different modules and by asking questions of our ambassadors/mentors. Sign up [here](#), complete two tasks and send a message to a mentor/ambassador. Good luck!

## Extra Curricular and Virtual Opportunities

- **[Virtual Work Experience Programmes](#), Springpod, February 2023**

Opportunities in Engineering, Technology, Finance, Hospitality, Accountancy, Banking, STEM and many more! Find out more [here](#) and book your place.

- **[On Demand Work Experience](#), Springpod**

Opportunities in [Aviation and Aerospace](#), [Medicine](#), [Nursing](#), [Allied Health Professions](#) and more general [Work Insights](#). Click on the relevant links for further information.

- **[Online January Lectures](#), Gresham College, Various dates in January**

Lectures include: [Coronary Heart Disease](#), [Microbial Master-Chemists](#), [Cultural History of Breast Cancer](#) and [Would it be right to make vaccination mandatory?](#) Click on the relevant links to register and watch online.

- **[Alternative Routes into Healthcare](#), Future Frontline, 18 December, 6-7pm**

Online webinar with a chance to hear from speakers who have taken access courses, done an apprenticeship or gone straight into working as a healthcare professional. Speakers include a dental nurse, nursing associate who is now a student nurse & a NHS manager. Click [here](#) to sign up for this event.

- **[Virtual Healthcare Careers Fair](#), Future Frontline, 14 & 15 January, 11-1pm**

Opportunity to hear from 20 different NHS healthcare professionals and to discover different career options in healthcare and to hear tips for how to get into the professions. Click [here](#) to register for Sat 14 Jan and [here](#) for Sun 15 Jan.



We wish all our students and parents/carers a very happy Christmas!

We look forward to working with all our students again in the new year.

If you would like to contact the Careers Department, our details can be found below:

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If you have any feedback on careers, you are welcome to get in touch with us.